

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Boden et al.

**Application No.** 10/521,628

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**For:** BETA SHEET TAPES RIBBONS IN  
TISSUE ENGINEERING

**Examiner:** Julie Ha

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

This amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and responds the Office action dated April 30, 2008. A three-month period for response was set, and a three-month extension fee is enclosed, making a reply and this request due by October 30, 2008. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 9.